

# Daddy's World

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For Katy

*last 4 lines of refrain inst. as intro.*

A Asus2 A  
 Hey, girl, are you weeping  
 D Dsus2 A  
 'Cause it's too rainy for playing outside?  
 D A  
 Let's turn on the magic carpet  
 E7 E6 E7  
 And go for an afternoon ride...  
 A D A  
 I know a couple of games to play  
 D5 D Dsus2 A  
 And some places you haven't yet seen;  
 D Cmaj7  
 Come visit your daddy's world  
 E7 A  
 on the other side of the screen.

D Dsus2 D5 D  
 I can't bring you the silver moon  
 A D  
 To hold in the palm of your hand;  
 A D Dsus2  
 But I can take you to a world I've made  
 A Asus2 E7  
 Out of dreams and a few grains of sand;  
 A D5 D  
 I can't buy you the stars to wear  
 A D  
 Like gems in your bonny brown hair;  
 A D Dsus2  
 All I have is a magic mirror  
 E7 A  
 And castles in the air.

Say hello to the creatures here:  
 The walrus, the elephant too;  
 Go visit the dragon's lair,  
 He's waiting there for you...  
 Play cards with a magical deck;  
 Learn the names of the planets and stars;  
 Take a ride on a toy balloon,  
 Or a rocket ship to Mars.

*Grace:*

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Come look through the window  
 While I type in a magical rhyme.  
 I'll show you where the hypercubes dance  
 On the edges of space and time.  
 See the curliques Mandelbrot set  
 Way down in the complex plane...  
 We'll forget about the world outside,  
 The thunder and the rain.

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A 4:00

Do you wonder where your daddy goes  
 When he's out of the house for the day?  
 I walk through my magic mirror  
 And travel far away  
 To my world where with numbers and words  
 I create things out of thin air;  
 There's magic in Daddy's world  
 And I can take you there.

*Grace:*

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 And you can take me there.

end with A\* = EAEAC#A

The imagery in v. 2 comes mostly from *Manhole*, a HyperCard game for kids on the Macintosh. I thought about calling this song “The Programmer’s Daughter” but decided I’d leave that for Kanefsky.

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